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Hopton. 1611.

An Almanack and Prog-  
noscication, for this yeere of  
our redemption.

1611. 5320

Being the third from the  
leape yeare.

Referreth most respectfullie to the

meridian & latitude of the wor-  
thy towne of Shrewsbury, aptly  
seruing all the adiacent shires,  
indifferently the South parts  
of Great Brittain, and generally  
the whole continent.

By Arth. Hopton, Gent.

*Sapiens Dominabitur Astris.*

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*Eff. Hemmings*  
*K.*

To know the houre of the day without Clock or Dyall.

**T**Ake an Arrow, Ruler, or what stick you will, so it bee some-thing straight, and of what length you will, so it bee indifferently deuised into 12. equall parts, 12. of your thumbes breadth may well suffice, so doth your thumbe deuise the same.

Now when you would know the houre of the day, the sunne shining, erect your ruler vpon some plaine superficies lying leuell, so that it may hang or stand perpendicular vpon the leuelled surface, which you may easily doe obseruing the directions in my Almanack 1608.

Then note the length of the shadow of the said rule, and at either end thereof make a marke: now take your rule and measure the length of the said shadow before noted, and see how many of the equall parts of your rule it containes, then resort vnto the tables placed in the head of each month, and there chuse the table answering to your moneth, and also the day of the moneth, or the nextest you can finde, & agreeing with the day of the moneth right-wards finde the number of equall parts which the length of the shadow contained: then if your observations were before noone, you shall finde the houre of the day in the top of the table, if in the afternoon, in the foote, as is plaine by the inscriptions. And note that the dayes of the moneth be placed vpon the left hand, each table thise, as in Aprill, 11. 21. 30.

Example. The 21. of Aprill in the forenoone, I finde according to the former instructions the length of the shadow to containe 38. parts of my rule, which is three times his length, and  $\frac{2}{3}$  parts, or two parts ouer, which 38. parts hauing found in my table answering to the 21. of Aprill. I find ouer the head thereof  $\phi$  figure 6. which sheweth it was instise of the clock before noone: likewise had it bene 6. if your observation had bene after noone: so of any other, and for want of the inst day of the month, or true parts of  $\phi$  shadow, take the nextest by proportion: the same may the hodie or traveler do, if he first stand vpright and note the length of his shadow and then measure it by his strides, calling every stride 12. parts and so enter the table as before.

# Vulgar notes of the

English Kalender for this  
Iulian or Soligenian  
yeare. 1611.

Romaine Kalender for this  
Lilian or Gregorian  
yeare. 1611.

The golden number	16	Aureus numerus	16
The circle of the sunne.	23	Cyclus Solaris	24
Dominicall letter.	F.	Litera Dominicalis	B.
The Romain Indiction	9	Indictio Romana	9
The Epact	26	Epacta	16
from Christmas daye to Shrove-sunday, 5. weekes, 5. dayes.		Interuallum minus, seu nu- merus hebdomadarum et die- rum inuer natalem Domini, et esto mihi, hebdom. 7. dier. 1.	
from Shrove-sunday to the Annunc. of Mary, week. 7. d. 1			
first sunday in Lent. Febr. 10		Quadragesima	Feb. 20
Easter day	March. 24	Dominica paschatis.	Apr 3
Ascension day	May. 2	Ascensio Domini.	May. 12
Whitsunday	May. 12	Pentecoste	May 22
Aduent Sunday	Decemb. 1	Aduentus Domini	Nov. 27
Betweene Trinity & Aduent Sunday	weeks. 27	Dominicz post Trinitatis,	25.

What the Epact is.

Touching the Epact, knowe therefore that it is no other  
thing then an excessse of 11. dayes, which the common solar  
yeare doth exceed the common lunar yeare: the one consisting  
of 365. dayes, the other of 354. dayes, and therefore they ad  
that excessse unto the lunar yeare to coequate them: for Epacta  
signifieth things added or put too, and because by the addition  
of this excessse in every 4. yeares it doth exceed 30. more then  
which the Epact cannot be, because from change to change  
there can be but 30. dayes, therefore 30. must be taken from  
the said excessse, and the remainder is the Epact for the next  
yeare. As this yeare the Epact is 26, to which ad 11. so haue  
you 37. from which take 30. so haue you 7. the Epact 1612.

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The Anatomy of mans body, and the gouernment  
of the members thereof by the Moones accord-  
ing to her courſe in the xii ſignes of the Zodiack.

Aries, the head and face.

Taurus,  
The neck  
& thyoate

Cancer,  
Breaſt &  
Stomacke.

Virgo,  
Guts and  
belly.

Scorpio.  
Secret &  
members

Capri-  
cornus.  
The  
knees.



Gemini,  
the armes  
& ſhoulder,

Leo,  
Heart and  
back,

Libra.  
Reynes  
& loynes.

Sagitta-  
rius.  
Thighes

Aqua-  
rius,  
The  
Legges.

Piſces. The foote.

Aries head, Taurus neck, Gemini armes require,  
Cancer breaſt, Leo heart, Virgo guttes deſire :  
Libra loynes, Scorpio ſecrets, Sagitarius thighes,  
Capricorne knees, Aquarius legs, and Piſces foote ſupplies.

Ianuarie.



January hath xxxi. dayes.

houres before noone.	12	11	10	9	8
Length of parts	10. day	26	39	49	83
of shadow for the	20. day	32	34	42	65
	30. day	27	29	35	119
					sun set.

houres after noone.	1	2	3	4
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1	a	Epiphany	11	Sag. 30	
2	b	Octa. Steph.	12	Cap. 4	
3	c	Octa. of Job.	13	Cap. 16	
4	d	Octa. Innoc.	14	Cap. 28	
5	e	Edwa. depol.	15	Aqua. 9	● New Moone
6	f	Epiphany	16	Aqu. 21	the iii. daye
41 7	g	Felle & Jan.	17	Disce. 3	27. minut. after
8	a	Lucian priest	18	Disce. 15	two of the clock
9	b	Agapit virg.	19	Disce. 28	in the morning.
10	c	Linus mart.	20	Arie. 11	
11	d	Sol in Aquar.	21	Arie. 24	First quartet
12	e	Archad. mar.	22	Leur. 8	the xii. daye,
13	f	2. sun af. Epi.	23	Jan. 22	halfe an houre
42 14	g	Felicia.	24	Gemi. 7	after ten of the
15	a	Maurice.	25	Gemi. 23	clock at night.
16	b	Marcellus.	26	Can. 6	
17	c	Antho. depol.	27	Can. 21	● Full Moone
18	d	Disce virg.	28	Leo. 6	therbiit. day,
19	e	Mollan. bish.	29	Leo. 21	at i. of the clock
20	f	epiphany	30	Arie. 5	in the afternoon
43 21	g	Octab. Hillar.	31	Arie. 19	and halfe an
22	a	Vincent mar.	Fe Libra. 3	houre.	
23	b	Terme begin	2	Libra. 17	
24	c	Timothy.	3	Libra. 30	
25	d	Con. of Paul	4	Sco. 12	● Last quartet
26	e	Polycarp. bish.	5	Sco. 25	the xrv. daye
27	f	Sexagesima.	6	Sagit. 7	52 min. after iii.
44 28	g	Quind. Hillar.	7	Sagit. 20	of the clock after
29	a	Theod. priest.	8	Cap. 1	noone.
30	b	Batilda. queen.	9	Cap. 13	
31	c	Satan. & Mice.	10	Cap. 25	

Februarie hath xxviii. dayes.

hou. before noone.	12	11	10	9	8	7
parts of 8. day	23	25	30	42	80	6
shadow 18. day	20	21	25	54	61	226
for the 28. day	17	8	22	29	4	112
hou. after noone	1	2	3	4	5	

1	D	Briget. fall	11	Aquar. 7	
2	E	Purific. Mar.	12	Aqu. 19	
3	F	Esio mihi.	13	Pisc. 1	● New Moone
4	G	Craft. Purifi.	14	Pisc. 13	the 11. day, a
5	A	Agathe virg.	15	Pisc. 25	quarter after 8.
6	B	Ashwednesday.	16	Arie. 8	at night.
7	C	Angele bishop	17	Arie. 21	
8	D	Paul bishop	18	Taur. 5	
9	E	Sol in Pisces	19	Tau. 18	
10	F	Inuoca. of	20	Gemi. 2	First quarter
11	G	Quadragesi.	21	Gemi. 17	the 2. day, 50.
12	A	Terme ends	22	Canc. 1	minut. after 8.
13	B	Ember week	23	Can. 16	of the clocke in
14	C	Valentine.	24	Leo. 1	the morning.
15	D	Faustin.	25	Leo. 16	
16	E	Julian. virg.	26	Leo. 0	
17	F	Reminiscere	27	Alt. 14	
18	G	of 2. Sun. in Lē.	28	Air. 28	Full Moone
19	A	Prince H. born	29	Libra. 12	the 28. day,
20	B	Mildred. vir.	2	Libr. 25	40. minut. before
21	C	70. Martyrs	3	Scor. 8	one in the morn-
22	D	Peters chair.	4	Scor. 20	ing.
23	E	Policar. fall.	5	Sagit. 3	
24	F	Barthas. ago	6	Sag. 15	
25	G	Inuent. Paul	7	Sag. 27	
26	A	Resto. mart.	8	Cap. 10	● Last quarter,
27	B	August. bish.	9	Cap. 22	the 28. day,
28	C	Oswald bish.	10	Aqua. 4	at xi. of the clocke
The Italian Soligenian				Signe	before noone.
of ancient English				Moone is	
Kalendar.				in.	

March hath xxxi. dayes.

b. before noone.	12	11	10	9	8	7	6
parts of	12.D. 15	16	19	24	37	74	sun set
shadowe	22.D. 13	14	16	21	30	54	221
for the	31.D. 11	12	14	18	26	43	312
b. after noone.	1	2	3	4	5	6	

1	d	David bishop	11	Aqua. 15	
2	e	Chadde bish.	12	Aqu. 27	
3	f	I erare, of the	13	Pist. 10	
49 4	B	4 sun in Lem	14	Pist. 22	New Moone,
5	a	Force & Cuse.	15	Aries. 5	the 11th. day,
6	b	Dorothe virg.	16	Arie. 18	20. instant. after
7	c	Perpet. & felix	17	Taur. 1	high noone.
8	d	Depo. of fel	18	Tan. 15	
9	e	60. Martyrs	19	Tan. 28	
10	f	Iudicia, of the	20	Gem. 13	
50 11	B	5. sun. in Lent,	21	Gem. 27	First quarter,
12	a	50. in Aries.	22	Canc. 11	the 1st. day, &
13	b	Theod. mart.	23	Can. 26	quarter after 11.
14	c	Candid. mart.	24	Leo. 10	in the evening.
15	d	Longine mar.	25	Leo. 25	
16	e	Quertine mar.	26	Virg. 0	
17	f	Palme sunda.	27	Virg. 23	
51 18	B	Edwar. King	28	Lib. a. 6	Full Moone,
19	a	Joseph mart.	29	Lib. 20	the 15th. day,
20	b	Euthbert.	30	Scorp. 3	at high noone.
21	c	Benedictus.	31	Scor. 15	
22	d	Afrodose.	Ap	Scor. 28	
23	e	Theodor. bish.	2	Sag. 10	
24	f	Quint. I. & A.	3	Sag. 23	Last quarter,
52 25	B	Junen. of 833	4	Capri. 5	the 21st. day.
26	a	Castor mar' tr	5	Capri. 17	a quarter past 11.
27	b	Martiane.	6	Capri. 29	of the clock in the
28	c	Dorothe vir.	7	Aqua. 11	morning.
29	d	Victorine.	8	Aqua. 23	
30	e	Anirine.	9	Piscis. 6	
31		Low Sunday.	10	Pist. 18	

# April hath xxx. dayes.

h. before noone.	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	
parts of	10. h.	10	11	13	16	23	26	76	infinit.
shadow	21. h.	9	9	11	15	21	31	58	167
for the	31. h.	8	8	10	14	19	28	49	139

h. after noone.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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The number	1	g	Leon vir	11	Aries. 1	New Moone the iii. daye halfe an houre after one of the clock in the mor- ning.
	2	a	Mary Egypt.	12	Arie. 14	
	3	b	Rich. bishop.	13	Arie. 27	
	4	c	Ambrose bish.	14	Tau. 11	
	5	d	Martia. mar.	15	Tau. 25	
	6	e	Egippus	16	Gemi. 9	
	7	f	Mileri Domi.	17	Gemi. 23	
number	8	g	Quind Pasch	18	Canc. 8	First quarter the vii. daye, 50. min. after 9. in the evening
	9	a	Paslion. 7. vir	19	Can. 22	
	10	b	Trinity day	20	Leo. 7	
	11	c	Sol in Can	21	Leo. 21	
	12	d	Elburt & Ca.	22	Virgo. 5	
	13	e	Zenon bishop.	23	Air. 19	
	14	f	Iubilae.	24	Libra. 2	
Februa- da.	15	g	Tres pasche.	25	Lib. 16	Full Moone the xvii. day, halfe an houre before one in the morning.
	16	a	Modore bish.	26	Lib. 28	
	17	b	Antete bish.	27	Scor. 11	
	18	c	Eluch. riu	28	Scor. 24	
	19	d	Alphege mar.	29	Sagit. 6	
	20	e	Victor bishop	30	Sar. 18	
	21	f	Cantate.	31	Capri. 0	
da.	22	g	Mense pasch.	1	Cap. 12	Last quarter, the xiiii. day at halfe at houre before one in the morning.
	23	a	George mart.	2	Cap. 24	
	24	b	Al Irid. F. 12	3	Aqu. 7	
	25	c	St. George	4	Aqu. 19	
	26	d	Clete Bishop	5	Pisc. 1	
	27	e	vocem lucun	6	Pisc. 14	
	28	f	or Rogation	7	Pisc. 26	
5	29	g	Quinq. Pasch.	8	Aries. 9	
	30	a	Erkenwalde	9	Aries. 23	

May hath xxxi. daues.

b. before noone.		12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4		
parts of shadow for the	1	2.D	7	8	10	13	17	26	43	100	infir	
	2	22.D	7	7	9	12	17	24	39	82	258	
	3	31.D	6	7	9	13	16	23	37	74	36	
b. alter noone.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
6	1	b	Phil. & Iacob	11	Taur.	6						
	2	c	ascensio. day	12	Taur.	20						
	3	d	raist ascent	13	Gem.	4						
	4	e	Ch. iustopher.	14	Gem.	19						
	5	f	Exaudi.	15	Taur.	3						
	6	g	Terme end	16	Taur.	18						
	7	h	Joh. of Beue.	17	Leo.	3						
	8	i	Appa. l. Mich.	18	Leo.	17						
	9	c	Tran. of Mir	19	Airg.	2						
	10	d	Sordian.	20	Airg.	16						
7	11	e	Sol in Gem.	21	Airg.	29						
	12	f	Penet. 1. 2	22	Libra.	13						
	13	g	at the day.	23	Libra.	25						
	14	a	Boniface bish	24	Scor.	8						
	15	b	Ember 2. 2	25	Scor.	21						
	16	c	Brandon bish.	26	Sagit.	3						
	17	d	Tras. o. Bar.	27	Sagit.	15						
	18	e	Discoy. mart.	28	Sag.	27						
	19	f	Trinity	29	Capr.	8						
	20	g	Christi trinit.	30	Cap.	20						
8	21	a	Apa. of l. Mich.	31	Aqua.	2						
	22	b	Desider. mar.	1	Aqua.	14						
	23	c	Corpus. chri.	2	Aqua.	26						
	24	d	Terme begin.	3	Pisce.	9						
	25	e	Augu. of Eng	4	Pisce.	21						
	26	f	i. sun. alk. Tri.	5	Aries.	4						
	27	g	Octa. trinitat.	6	Aries.	17						
	28	a	Coron. mart.	7	Taur.	1						
	29	b	Felix bishop.	8	Taur.	15						
	30	c	Petrus. vic.	9	Taur.	29						
9	31	d	Merus.	10	Gem.	13						

● New Moone  
the ii. daye  
50 minn. before  
high noone.

● First quarter  
the ninth daye  
halfe an houre  
after iii. in the  
morning.

● Full Moone  
the xvi. daye  
20. minn. after  
two afternoone.

● Last quarter  
the xxiii. daye  
10. minn. after ii.  
at night.

● New Moone  
the last daye  
a quarter after  
viii. in the eve-  
ning.

June hath xxx. dayes.

h. before noone.		12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4
parts of shadow for the	1. day	6	7	9	12	16	23	37	74	565
	12. d.	6	7	9	12	16	23	36	72	453
	23. d.	6	7	9	14	16	23	37	74	565
h. after noone.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
10	1	e	Nichomene.	11	Gem. 28					
	2	f	2. sun. a. t. tri.	12	Canc. 13					
	3	g	Quind. Trinic.	13	Can. 27					
	4	a	Petrocius.	14	Leo. 13					
	5	b	Boniface bish.	15	Leo. 27					
	6	c	Claudius.	16	Virg. 12					
	7	d	Mollane.	17	Virg. 26					
	8	e	Medard.	18	Lib. 9					
	9	f	3 sun. a. t. tri.	19	Lib. 22					
	10	g	Tres Trinica.	20	Scor. 5					
11	11	a	Barnab. ap. st.	21	Scor. 18					
	12	b	Sol in Canc.	22	Sag. 0					
	13	c	Term. ends.	23	Sag. 12					
	14	d	Basil bishop.	24	Sag. 24					
	15	e	Alce.	25	Capri. 6					
	16	f	4. sun. a. t. tri.	26	Capri. 17					
	17	g	Botolph. mar.	27	Capri. 29					
	18	a	Mar. & mar.	28	Aqu. 11					
	19	b	Nat. Reg. lac.	29	Aqu. 22					
	20	c	Trans. Edo.	30	Pisce. 5					
12	21	d	Althor. vir.	1	Pisce. 17					
	22	e	Alban mart.	2	Pisce. 29					
	23	f	5. sun. Fast.	3	Arie. 12					
	24	g	John Baptist	4	Arie. 26					
	25	a	Trans. of Ele.	5	Taur. 9					
	26	b	John & Paul.	6	Tau. 23					
	27	c	Crescente.	7	Gem. 7					
	28	d	Leons. Fast.	8	Gem. 22					
	29	e	Peter Apostle	9	Canc. 7					
	30	f	6. sun. a. t. tri.	10	Can. 22					

First quarter,  
the first daye,  
halfe an houre  
after ten of the  
clock before  
noone.

Full Moone,  
the xv. daye,  
50. mi. after full,  
in the morning.

Last quarter,  
the xxiii. day,  
halfe an houre af-  
ter seauen of the  
clock in the morn-  
ing.

New Moone  
the last daye,  
nere halfe an  
houre after thys  
in the morning.



July hath xxxi. dayes.

before none.		12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4
parts of shadow for the	3. da	7	7	9	12	16	24	39	82	2580
	14. d	7	8	10	13	17	26	43	100	infin.
	24.	8	8	10	14	19	28	49	139	
after none.			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
14	1	g	Oct. Joh. bap.	11	Leo.	7				
	2	a	Ulr. of Par.	12	Leo.	21				
	3	b	Tran. of Tho.	13	Virg.	6				
	4	c	Tral. of Par	14	Virg.	21				
	5	d	Joe virgin.	15	Libra.	5				
	6	e	Oct. of Peter	16	Libra.	18				
	7	f	7 sun. aft. trin.	17	Scor.	1				
	8	g	Chillian.	18	Scor.	15				
15	9	a	Cypill bish.	19	Scor.	27				
	10	b	7. bethy. mar.	20	Sag.	9				
	11	c	Tranl. of Be.	21	Sagl.	21				
	12	d	Ab. & Felix.	22	Capri.	3				
	13	e	Sol in Leo.	23	Cap.	15				
	14	f	8 sun. aft. trin.	24	Cap.	27				
16	15	g	Tranl. Swith	25	Aqua.	8				
	16	a	Tranl. Olin.	26	Aqua.	20				
	17	b	Renelme king	27	Pisce.	2				
	18	c	Arnolp bish.	28	Pisc.	14				
	19	d		29	Pisc.	26				
	20	e	Dog dates be.	30	Artes.	8				
	21	f	9 sun. aft. trin.	31	Arte.	21				
17	22	g	Mary Magd.	Au	Taur.	4				
	23	a	Apolin bish.	2	Tau.	17				
	24	b	Chykt. Fall	3	Gem.	1				
	25	c	James apostle	4	Gem.	16				
	26	d	Anne mar. Pa	5	Canc.	0				
18	27	e	Partha	6	Canc.	15				
	28	f	10. sun. aft. trin.	7	Leo.	0				
	29	g	Felix & his fel.	8	Leo.	15				
	30	a	Abd & Gem.	9	Leo.	30				
	31	b	German bish.	10	Virg.	15				

First quarter,  
the vi. day, 50  
min. after vii. at  
night.

Full Moon,  
the xiii. day,  
53 min. after vii.  
of the clocke at  
night.

Last quarter,  
the xxi. day,  
at vii. at night.

New Moon,  
the xxi. day,  
55 min. after  
ten before none

August hath xxxi. dayes.

h. before noone.		12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5
parts of shadow for the	3. d.	9	9	11	15	21	31	58	207
	14. d.	10	11	13	16	23	36	72	111
	24. d.	11	12	14	18	20	43	111	111
h. after noone.		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
19	1 c	Lammes day.	11 Virg. 29						
	2 d	Steph. mart.	12 Libra. 13						first quarter
	3 e	Inne. of Ste.	13 Lib. 27						the v. day, a
	4 f	11. sun. af. tri.	14 Scor. 10						quarter after 8.
	5 g	Gouries conf.	15 Scor. 23						before noone.
20	6 a	Trans. Christ	16 Sagit. 6						
	7 b	Feast of Iesu	17 Sagit. 18						
	8 c	Ciriacke.	18 Capr. 0						
	9 d	Romain mar.	19 Capr. 12						full Moone
	10 e	Layzee mar.	20 Capr. 24						the xlii. day,
21	11 f	12. sun. af. tri.	21 Aqua. 6						a quarter after
	12 g	Clare virgin	22 Aqua. 17						xi. of the clocke
	13 a	Hippolite.	23 Aqua. 29						before noone.
	14 b	Sol in Virgo.	24 Pisce. 11						
	15 c	Ann. of Mary	25 Pisce. 23						
22	16 d	Roch. mart.	26 Aries. 5						
	17 e	Oct. of Layz.	27 Aries. 16						Last quarter,
	18 f	13. sun. af. tri.	28 Taur. 0						the xxi. daye,
	19 g	Magnus ma.	29 Taur. 13						2. minnt. after
	20 a	Lodowick.	30 Taur. 27						111. in the moy-
23	21 b	Barnard.	31 Gem. 11						ning.
	22 c	Octa assump.	1 Gem. 25						
	23 d	Timothe. p. an.	2 Canc. 9						
	24 e	Barthol. apo.	3 Canc. 24						
	25 f	14. sun. af. tri.	4 Leo. 9						New Moone
24	26 g	Jephe in mar.	5 Leo. 24						the xlii. day
	27 a	Ruff. mart.	6 Virgo. 9						50. minnt. after
	28 b	August. bish.	7 Virg. 23						111. of the clocke
	29 c	2. dayes in	8 Libra. 7						in the evening.
	30 d	Felix. & Aud.	9 Lib. 21						
	31 e	Euthbert.	10 Scorp. 4						

Septem ber hith x. dayes.

before noone.	12	11	10	9	8	7	6
parts of	5. day	13	14	16	21	30	54
shadow	14. day	15	16	19	24	37	73
for the	24. day	17	18	22	29	45	112
after noone.		1	2	3	4	5	6

1		15. sun. aft. tri.	11	Sco. 18	
2	a	Anthony mar.	12	Sagi. 1	First quarter
3	a	Ozden Greg.	13	Sag. 14	the iii. day, 8.
4	b	Tral. of Car.	14	Sag. 26	min. before mid-
5	c	Bertine.	15	Cap. 8	night.
6	d	Eugenius.	16	Cap. 20	
7	e	Regina.	17	Aqua. 2	
8	f	10. sun. aft. tri.	18	Aqua. 14	
9	g	Corgon mart.	19	Aqu. 26	Full Moone
10	a	Stilvine.	20	Disce. 8	the xii. day,
11	b	Proth. & Faci.	21	Disce. 20	40. min after ti.
12	c	Martin. an.	22	Aries. 2	of the clocke in
13	d	S. in Libra.	23	Arie. 15	the morning.
14	e	Holy Crosse. &	24	Arie 27	
15	f	Equinoctiall.	25	Taur. 10	
16	g	Edith virgin.	26	Tau. 23	
17	a	Lambert bish.	27	Gemi. 7	Last quarter.
18	b	Embert weeke	28	Gemi. 21	the xix. daye.
19	c	Jannar. mar.	29	Canc. 3	halfe an houre
20	d	Gustace. Fall	30	Can. 30	after some at
21	e	Barthew apo.	D. Leo. 4		night.
22	f	18. sun. af. tri.	2	Leo. 19	
23	g	Tecla virgin.	3	Airg. 3	
24	a	Andochens.	4	Air. 18	
25	b	Firmini bish.	5	Liby. 2	New Moone
26	c	Cypri. & Just.	6	Liby. 16	the xxii. day
27	d	Cosin. & Dam.	7	Liby. 29	50. minut. after
28	e	Crisper. Fall	8	Scoz 13	the clock
29	f	Michael arch.	9	Scoz 26	in the morning
30	g	Hierom pish.	10	Sagie. 8	

October hath xxxi. dayes.

h. before noone.	12	11	10	9	8	7
parts of 4. day	20	21	25	34	61	206
shadow 14. da	23	25	30	42	79	1896
for the 24. da	27	29	35	59	Sunne set.	

h. after noone.	1	2	3	4	5
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1	a	Remigius.	11	Sag. 21	
2	b	Leodogar bish	12	Capr. 4	
3	c	Candia. mart	13	Cap. 16	
4	d	Francis con.	14	Capr. 28	
5	e	Appolinarius.	15	Aqua. 10	
28 6	f	10. sun. aft. tri.	16	Aqua. 22	
7	g	Octa. Marti.	17	Pisc. 4	
8	a	Pelagius vir.	18	Pisc. 17	
9	b	Jerme begin.	19	Pisc. 29	
10	c	Sereb & Cict.	20	Arie. 11	
11	d	Alchasin. vir.	21	Arie. 24	
12	e	Calipe.	22	Taur. 7	
29 13	f	Sol in scorpio.	23	Tan. 20	
14	g	quind. Micha.	24	Gem. 4	
15	a	Jewes feast.	25	Gem. 17	
16	b	Mich. mount.	26	Taur. 1	
17	c	Etheloy. Fast.	27	Tan. 19	
18	d	Luke Evang.	28	Leo. 0	
19	e	Fridericwde.	29	Leo 15	
30 20	f	22. sun. af. tri.	30	Leo. 29	
21	g	ri. Mar. virgin	31	Airg. 14	
22	a	Mary Solom.	20	Air. 28	
23	b	Roman. arch.	2	Libr. 12	
24	c	Waglor.	3	Libr. 25	
25	d	Crisp & Crisp	4	Scor. 8	
26	e	Arula virg.	5	Scor. 21	
31 27	f	Florence. Fast.	6	Sagit. 4	
28	g	Simon & Jude.	7	Sag. 17	
29	a	Narcissus.	8	Sag. 29	
30	b	German bish.	9	Capr. 11	
31 c		Quintine. Fast	10	Capr. 23	

First quarter,  
the iii. day, r.  
min. after six at  
night.

Full Moon,  
the xi. day, 12  
minut. after v. of  
the clock at night

Last quarter,  
the xviii. day,  
at vi. at night.

New Moon  
the xxv. day,  
three quarters  
past iiii. at night.

November hath xxx. day es.

h. before noone.		12	11	10	9	8
parts of	2. day	32	34	42	65	209
shadow	13. da	36	39	49	83	550
for the	22. da	40	45	57	104	sur set
hs. after noone.			1	2	3	4

1	d	All Saints	11	Aqua. 6
2	e	All soules day	12	Aqua. 18
3	f	24. sun. af. tri.	13	Aqua. 30
4	g	Ciaſt. animar.	14	Piſce. 12
5	a	Conſtit. par.	15	Piſce. 25
6	b	Willfrid arch.	16	Aries. 7
7	c	4. Crowned.	17	Arie. 19
8	d	Cyprian abb.	18	Taur. 3
9	e	Triphon mar.	19	Taur. 16
10	f	25. sun. af. tri.	20	Taur. 29
11	g	Martin biſh.	21	Gem. 13
12	a	Ciaſt. Marti.	22	Gem. 27
13	b	Solin bagin.	23	Canc. 12
14	c	Tras. of Erk.	24	Canc. 26
15	d	Macute biſh.	25	Leo. 11
16	e	Edmun. arch.	26	Leo. 26
17	f	26. sun. aft. tri.	27	Virge. 10
18	g	Octob. marti.	28	Virg. 24
19	a	Elizab. mart.	29	Libra. 8
20	b	Edmo. King	30	Libra. 22
21	c	Paſe. of Mary	De	cap. 5
22	d	Cyſely virgi.	2	Scor. 18
23	e	Element biſh.	3	Sagit. 1
24	f	27. sun. af. tri.	4	Sagit. 13
25	g	Quind. Mart.	5	Sagit. 25
26	a	Linie biſhop.	6	Capri. 7
27	b	Agricola.	7	Capri. 19
28	c	Letime endg.	8	Aquar. 1
29	d	Faſt.	9	Aqua. 13
30	e	Andrem. apoſt.	10	Aqua. 29

First quarter,  
the ii. day, xi.  
min. after two of  
the clocke in the  
afternoone.

Full Mone,  
the x. day, 32.  
min. after five in  
the morning.

Last quarter,  
the xvii. day,  
7. min. before one  
in the morning.

New Mone  
the xliiii. day,  
36. min. after vii.  
in the morning.

December hath xxxi. daues.

Houres before none.		12	11	10	9	
Parts of the down for the	{	3. day.	43	47	92	122
		13. day	45	49	65	131
		23. day	43	47	62	122
		31. day	40	45	47	104
36	1	Convent. fund.	11	Disce.	7	
	2	Lithane mar.	12	Disce.	20	
	3	Deps. of Ol.	13	Aries.	2	First quarter the 11. day, 38. minut. after 1. of the clock before none.
	4	Barbary vic.	14	Arie.	15	
	5	Sabbe abbot.	15	Arie.	28	
	6	Nichola. bish.	16	Tau.	11	
	7	Oct. of And.	17	Tau.	24	
	8	2. sun. in Adu.	18	Gem.	8	
37	9	Cyprian Abb.	19	Gem.	22	
	10	Eulalia virg.	20	Can.	7	
	11	Damasius.	21	Can.	21	Full Mone the 12. day, 38. min. after 1. of the clocke at night.
	12	Sol in Capri	22	Leo.	6	
	13	Lucie virg. or	23	Leo.	21	
	14	shortest day.	24	Virg.	6	
	15	3. sun. in Adus.	25	Virg.	20	
	16	D Sapientia	26	Libra.	5	
38	17	Lazarus bish.	27	Lib.	18	
	18	Winter work.	28	Scor.	2	
	19	Genetia virg.	29	Scor.	15	Last quarter, the 13. day, 40. minut. after 12. in the morning.
	20	Fast.	30	Scor.	28	
	21	Thomas apo.	31	Sag.	10	
	22	4. sun. in Adu.	1	Sag.	22	
39	23	Victor virgin	2	Capri.	4	
	24	Claudy. Fall	3	Cap.	16	
	25	Cornelius b.	4	Capri.	28	
	26	S. Andrew	5	Aqua.	10	New Mone the 14. day, 18. minut after one of the clock in the morning.
	27	John Evang	6	Aqn.	22	
	28	Innocent b.	7	Disce.	4	
	29	Thom. Becket	8	Disce.	16	
	30	Trans. James	9	Disce.	28	
40	31	St. Andrew bish.	10	Aries.	1	



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36	1	Advent. Sund.	11	Pisce.	7	
	2	Libane mar.	12	Pisce.	20	
	3	Dipo. of Ol.	13	Aries.	2	First quarter the ii. day, 38. minut. after r. of the clock before noone.
	4	Barbary vir.	14	Arie.	15	
	5	Sabbe abbot.	15	Arie.	28	
	6	Nichola. bish.	16	Tau.	11	
	7	Oct. of And.	17	Tau.	24	
	8	2. sun. in Adu.	18	Gem.	8	
37	9	Cyprian Abb.	19	Gem.	22	
	10	Eulalia virg.	20	Tau.	7	
	11	Damianus.	21	Tau.	21	Full Mone the ix. day, 38. min. after vi. of the clock at night.
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	13	Lucie virg. or	23	Leo.	21	
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	15	3. sun. in Adu.	25	Virg.	20	
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	17	Lazarus bish.	27	Lib.	18	
	18	Winter work.	28	Scor.	2	
	19	Genetia virg.	29	Scor.	15	Last quarter, xvi. day, 40. minut. after ix. in the morning.
	20	Fast	30	Scor.	28	
	21	Thomas apo.	31	Sag.	10	
	22	4. sun. in Adu.	1	Sag.	22	
39	23	Victor virgin	2	Capri.	4	
	24	Claudy. Fall	3	Cap.	16	
	25	Corntinus b.	4	Cap.	28	
	26	S. Stephen	5	Aqua.	10	New Mone the xx. iii. day, 18. minut after one of the clock in the morning.
	27	John Evang	6	Aqu.	22	
	28	Ynnocent b.	7	Pisce.	4	
	29	Thom. Becket	8	Pis.	16	
40	30	Trans. James	9	Pis.	28	
	31	Silvester bish	10	Aries.	1	

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## TO THE READER.

**H**itherto, good Reader, so soone as my thoughts a little ceased contemplating with the more noble Sciences, wandering for recreation in this lower region of inuention, I held it no disparage to publish these *Annales, Presages or Prognostications*, vntill at last (as more beneficiall for the common wealth) I deuised, in stead of some of those presages, a new Table, whereby we may speedily calculate the expiration of time, calling the same a *Concordancie of Yeares*. But in my absence, 1610 it was kepte backe, for that it hindered the sale of the Computation) & a paltry old Rutter thrust into my booke to stuffe vp the volume, which I much disdained should passe vnder my name. For I almost held it base, like an Ape to professe imitation, or like a Sun burnt bray to borrow inuention. Wherefore hauing resolved to cease writing of these bookes, I tooke vpon me once againe to make my selfe beholding to kinde censurers, whereby I haue committed to generall view the same *Concordancie*, deuised 1608. and now altered, reformed, and corrected; which being vsed according to the methode and doctrine of this booke, shall teach you to performe that with such speede and truth, as the Computation, nor no booke of like purpose now extant, is able to accomplish.

I am sorry that my *Geometrical Staffe* which I published the last yeare came forth so late, because I know many were disappointed that desired the same. But I hope (without contradiction) that I haue preserved my word and promise

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wherein, to wit, that it shall teach you familiarly to seeke all kinds of Dimensions diuers waies; to measure and plat all manner of ground, to alter plats, proportionally to reduce one measure into another, to metamorphise figures, & to finde out their proportions, to ingrosse particulars. Also it teacheth you the doctrine of right lined Triangles, with new tables, and to worke w<sup>th</sup> proportions that may be wrought vpon the G<sup>lo</sup>be. And because I will rest nothing indebted to the world, nor haue any hereafter to challenge me for breach of my promise, I haue put forth my *Topographical Glasse*, being a booke containing the making and vse of the said Glasse, the *Theodolitus*, plaine Table and *Circumferentor*: wherein also you be taught Topographicall to describe any Province, Country or Region, to correct the altitude of the Sunne and Starres, being falsly taken in respect of the omission of the *Refraction* and *Parallax* thereof, &c. Lastly to measure all kinde of Timber, Stone, Cylinders, Pyramides, or Globes, as well solid as excavated, by the Geodeticall staffe; the which booke is sold at the signe of the Crowne in *Pauls Church-yard*.

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The description and vse of my new  
Table, called a Concordancy of yeares,  
being most excellent for Lawiers, or others  
that haue occasion to deale with the  
*computation of time.*

**T**O make an ample description of this Table were baينه,  
since the titles themselves afford the same, if you do but  
view them wel, even as they be placed in the front or head  
of the same. Briefly then, the first row upon the left hand is  
placed under the title of yeares of our Lord God, or anno Domi-  
ni, wherein standes successively the yeares of our Lord from  
the conquest to this present year, beginning at 1066 and  
continuing unto 1611: the next row is under the title of Post  
conquestum, wherein standes the number of yeares, that any  
yeare of our Lord is since the conquest; and they stand against the  
proposed yeare of our Lord periodically or compleate: the third  
row standes under Kings reigne, where in standes the yeare of each  
king periodically like wise against the proposed yeare of our Lord  
and also against the yeare of Post conquestum: the fourth row,  
is placed under Time expired, declaring how many yeares it is  
since any of the yeares that be placed in any of the three former  
rowes: the fifth and last row standes under the title of Easter Day,  
declaring what day of the moneth Easter Day fell upon any yeare  
since the conquest: the vse whereof will better appear by these  
few examples following.

Note that in the third row amongst the Kings reignes you  
shall often meete with a letter, and that yeare was leape yeare,  
which yeare hath two Dominicall letters, whereof that serving  
from the 24 of February to the yeares end, is placed theret the  
next letter in the Alphabet is the Dominicall letter for the be-  
ginning of the yeare: as 1608. B. serveth to the yeares end, and  
beginneth the yeare.

# A Prognostication.

## A Concordancie of Yeares, for this yeare 1611.

Years of our Lord.	Post. coq.	K. reigne.	time expi. red.	Easter day.
Wil. Con. begā Oct. 14. Det.				
1066	I	I	545	Apr. 10.
1067	I	I	544	Apr. 8.
1068	2	E	543	mar. 23.
1069	3	3	542	Apr. 2
1070	4	4	541	Apr. 4.
1071	5	5	540	Apr. 24.
1072	6	G	539	Apr. 8.
1073	7	7	538	mar. 31.
1074	8	8	537	apr. 20
1075	9	9	536	apr. 5
1076	10	B	535	mar. 27
1077	11	11	534	apr. 16
1078	12	12	533	apr. 8
1079	13	13	532	mar. 24
1080	14	D	531	apr. 12
1081	15	5	530	apr. 4
1082	16	6	529	apr. 24
1083	17	17	528	apr. 9.
1084	18	F	527	mar. 31
1085	19	19	526	apr. 20
1086	20	20	525	apr. 5.
1087	21	21	524	mar. 28
Wil. Conq died } Sept. 9 Ruf. began. } Defect.				
1088	21	A	524	mar. 28
1088	22		523	Apr. 16
1089	23	2	522	apr. 1
1090	24	3	521	apr. 21
1091	25	4	520	apr. 13
1092	26	C	519	mar. 28
1093	27	6	518	apr. 17

Years of our Lord.	Post. co.	K. reign.	time expi. ed	Easter day.
1094	28	7	517	April. 9
1095	29	8	516	mar. 25
1096	30	E	515	april 13
1097	31	10	514	april 5
1098	32	11	513	mar. 290
1099	33	12	512	April 2
1100	34	13	511	April 1
Wil. Rufus slaine } Aug. 1. Henry the 1. begā. } period.				
1100	34	I.	511	april 1
1101	35	1	510	april 21
1102	36	2	509	april 6
1103	37	3	508	mar 29
1104	38	B	507	april 17
1105	39	5	506	april 9
1106	40	6	505	april 25
1107	41	7	504	april 14
1108	42	10	503	april 5
1109	43	9	502	april 25
1110	44	10	501	april 10
1111	45	11	500	april 2
1112	46	F	499	april 21
1113	47	13	498	april 6
1114	48	14	497	mar. 29
1115	49	15	496	april 18
1116	50	A	495	april 2
1117	51	17	494	mar. 25
1118	52	18	493	april 14
1119	53	19	492	april 6
1120	54	C	491	april 18
1121	55	21	490	april 10
1122	56	22	489	mar. 26
1123	57	23	488	april 15
1124	58			

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An.D	P.C.	K.	T.E	East day
1125	59	25	436	mar. 29
1126	60	26	435	april 11
1127	61	27	434	april 10
1128	62	G	483	april 22
1129	63	29	482	april 14
1130	64	30	481	mar. 30
1131	65	31	480	april 11
1132	66	B	479	april 12
1133	67	33	478	mar. 29
1134	68	34	477	april 15
1135	69	35	476	april 6

Henry 1. dyed, 2 Decemb. 2.  
Stephen began Defectiue.

1135	69	I	476	april 6
1136	70	D	475	mar. 22
1137	71	2	474	april 17
1138	72	3	473	april 3
1139	73	4	472	april 23
1140	74	F	471	april 7
1141	75	6	470	ma. 30
1142	76	7	469	april 19
1143	77	8	468	april 4
1144	78	A	467	mar. 26
1145	79	10	466	april 15
1146	80	11	465	april 14
1147	81	12	464	april 20
1148	82	C	463	april 11
1149	83	14	462	april 13
1150	84	15	461	april 16

1151	85	16	460	april 18
1152	86	E	459	mar. 30
1153	87	18	458	april 19
1154	88	19	457	april 4.

Stephen died. 5 Octo. 25.  
Hen. 2. began Defect.

1154	88	1	457	april 4
1155	89	1	456	mar. 27
1156	90	G	455	april 5

An.D	P.C.	K.	T.E	East day
1157	91	3	454	mar. 31
1158	92	4	453	april 20
1159	93	5	452	april 12
1160	94	B	451	mar. 27
1161	95	7	450	april 16
1162	96	8	449	april 8
1163	97	9	448	mar. 25
1164	98	D	447	april 12
1165	99	II	446	april 4
1166	100	12	445	april 24
1167	101	13	444	april 9
1168	102	F	443	mar. 31
1169	103	15	442	april 29
1170	104	16	441	april 5
1171	105	17	440	mar. 28
1172	106	A	439	april 16
1173	107	19	438	april 8
1174	108	20	437	mar. 24
1175	109	21	436	april 13
1176	110	C	435	april 4
1177	111	23	434	april 24
1178	112	24	433	april 9
1179	113	25	432	april 1
1180	114	E	431	april 20
1181	115	27	430	april 5
1182	116	28	429	mar. 28
1183	117	29	428	april 17
1184	118	G	427	april 1
1185	119	31	426	april 21
1186	120	32	425	april 13
1187	121	33	424	mar. 29
1188	122	B	423	april 17
1189	123	35	422	april 9

Hen. 2 dyed 6 July 6.  
Rich. I. began Defectiue.

1189	123	1	422	april 9
1190	124	1	421	mar. 25
1191	125	2	420	april 14

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An.	D	P.C.	K.	T.E.	East day.
1192	126	D	4	9	april 5
1193	127	4	4	18	mar. 28
1194	128	5	4	7	april 10
1195	129	6	4	16	april 2
1196	130	F	4	15	april 21
1197	131	8	4	14	april 6
1198	132	9	4	13	mar. 29
1199	133	10	4	12	april 18
Rich the I. flaine K. Iohn began.					April 6 period.
1199	3	1	4	12	april 18
1200	134	A	4	11	april 9
1201	135	2	4	10	mar. 25
1202	136	3	4	09	april 14
1203	137	4	4	08	april 6
1204	138	C	4	07	april 28
1205	139	6	4	06	april 10
1206	140	7	4	05	april 2
1207	141	8	4	04	april 22
1208	142	E	4	03	april 6
1209	143	10	4	02	mar. 29
1210	144	I	4	01	april 18
1211	145	12	4	00	april 3
1212	146	G	3	99	mar. 25
1213	147	14	3	98	april 14
1214	148	15	3	97	april 6
1215	149	16	3	96	april 9
1216	150	B	3	95	april 10
Iohn dyed. Henry 3. began					2 Octob. 19 5 periodi.
1216	150	1	3	95	april 10
1217	151	I	3	94	mar. 26
1218	152	2	3	93	mar. 25
1219	153	3	3	92	april 7
1220	154	B	3	91	mar. 29
1221	155	5	3	90	april 11
1222	156	6	3	89	april 3
1223	157	7	3	88	april 23

An.	D	P.C.	K.	T.E.	East day.
1224	158	F	3	87	april 14
1225	159	9	3	86	mar. 30
1226	160	10	3	85	april 19
1227	161	11	3	84	april 11
1228	162	A	3	83	mar. 26
1229	163	13	3	82	april 15
1230	164	14	3	81	april 7
1231	165	15	3	80	mar. 23
1232	166	C	3	79	april 11
1233	167	17	3	78	april 3
1234	168	18	3	77	april 23
1235	169	19	3	76	april 8
1236	170	F	3	75	mar. 30
1237	171	21	3	74	april 19
1238	172	22	3	73	april 4
1239	173	23	3	72	mar. 27
1240	174	G	3	71	april 15
1241	175	15	3	70	april 14
1242	176	26	3	69	april 20
1243	177	27	3	68	april 12
1244	178	B	3	67	april 3
1245	179	29	3	66	april 16
1246	180	30	3	65	april 8
1247	181	31	3	64	mar. 31
1248	182	D	3	63	april 19
1249	183	33	3	62	april 4
1250	184	34	3	61	ma. 27
1251	185	35	3	60	april 10
1252	186	E	3	59	mar. 31
1253	187	37	3	58	april 20
1254	188	38	3	57	mar. 28
1255	189	39	3	56	april 10
1256	190	A	3	55	april 16
1257	191	41	3	54	april 8
1258	192	42	3	53	mar. 24
1259	193	43	3	52	april 3
1260	194	C	3	51	april 4
1261	195	44	3	50	april 24

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An.D	P.C.	K.	T.E	East day
1262	196	46	349	april 9
1263	167	47	348	april 1
1264	198	E	347	april 20
1265	199	49	346	april 5
1266	200	50	345	mar. 28

1267	201	51	344	april 7
1268	202	G	343	april 6
1269	203	53	342	mar 24
1270	204	54	341	april 13
1271	205	55	340	april 5
1272	206	B	339	april 24

Henry 3. dyed, 2 Nouemb. 16  
Edw. I. began 2 Defectiue.

1273	206	1	339	april 24
1273	207	1	338	april 9
1274	208	2	337	april 1
1275	209	3	336	april 14
1276	210	D	335	april 3
1277	211	5	334	mar. 28
1278	212	6	333	april 17
1279	213	7	332	april 3
1280	214	F	331	april 21
1281	215	9	330	april 13
1282	216	10	329	mar. 19

1283	217	11	328	april 18
1284	218	A	327	april 9
1285	219	I3	326	april 25
1286	220	14	325	april 14
1287	221	15	324	april 6

1288	222	C	323	mar. 28
1289	223	17	322	april 10
1290	224	18	321	april 2
1291	225	19	320	april 22

1291	226	E	319	april 6
1293	227	21	318	mar. 29
1294	228	22	317	april 18
1295	229	23	316	april 3
				mar. 25

An.D	P.C.	K.	T.E	East day
1297	231	25	314	april 24
1298	232	26	313	april 16
1299	233	27	312	april 19
1300	234	B	311	april 10
1301	235	29	310	april 2

1302	236	30	309	april 22
1303	237	31	308	april 7
1304	238	D	307	april 29
1305	239	33	306	april 18
1306	240	34	305	april 3
1307	241	35	304	mar. 26

Edwa 1. died, 2 July 7.  
the 2. began 5 periodi

1307	241	1	304	mar. 26
1308	242	F	303	april 14
1309	243	2	302	april 6
1310	244	3	301	april 19
1311	245	4	300	april 31
1312	246	A	299	mar. 26
1313	247	6	298	april 15
1314	248	7	297	april 7
1315	249	8	296	april 13
1316	250	C	295	april 11
1317	251	10	294	april 3

1318	252	11	293	april 23
1319	253	12	29	april 8
1320	254	E	291	mar. 30
1321	255	14	290	april 19
1322	256	I3	289	april 11

1323	257	16	288	mar. 27
1324	258	G	287	april 15
1325	259	18	286	april 7
1326	260	19	285	mar 21

Edwa. 2. deposed, 2 Jan. 25  
the 3. began 5 Defectiue.

1326	260	1	285	mar. 23
1327	261	2	284	april 12
1328	262	B	283	april 3

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An.D	P.C.	K.r	T.E.	East. day.
1329	263	3	282	april 23
1330	264	4	281	april 8
1331	265	5	280	mar. 31
1332	266	D	279	april 19
1333	267	7	278	april 4
1334	268	8	277	mar. 27
1335	269	9	276	april 16
1336	270	F	275	april 4
1337	271	11	274	april 20
1338	272	12	273	april 12
1339	273	13	272	april 28
1340	274	A	271	april 16
1341	275	15	270	april 8
1342	276	16	269	mar. 31
1343	277	17	268	april 13
1344	278	C	267	april 4
1345	279	19	266	mar. 27
1346	280	20	265	april 26
1347	281	21	264	april 1
1348	282	E	263	april 20
1349	283	23	262	april 12
1350	284	24	261	mar. 28
1351	285	25	260	april 17
1352	286	G	259	april 8
1353	287	27	258	mar. 24
1354	288	28	257	april 13
1355	289	29	256	april 5
1356	290	B	255	april 24
1357	291	31	254	april 9
1358	292	32	253	april 1
1359	293	33	252	april 21
1360	294	D	251	april 5
1361	295	35	250	mar. 28
1362	296	36	249	april 17
1363	297	37	248	april 2
1364	298	F	247	mar. 24
1365	299	39	246	april 13
1366	300	40	245	april 5
1367	301	41	244	april 18

An.D	P.C.	K.r	T.E.	East. day.
1368	302	A	243	april 9
1369	303	43	242	april 1
1370	304	44	241	april 14
1371	305	45	240	april 6
1372	306	C	239	mar. 28
1373	307	47	238	april 17
1374	308	48	237	april 2
1375	309	49	236	april 22
1376	310	E	235	april 13
1377	311	51	234	april 29
Edw. 3. died				June 21.
Rich. 2. began.				periodi.
1377	311	I	234	april 29
1378	312	I	233	april 18
1379	313	2	232	april 10
1380	314	G	231	mar. 25
1381	315	4	230	april 14
1382	316	5	229	april 6
1383	317	6	228	mar. 22
1384	318	B	227	april 10
1385	319	8	226	april 2
1386	320	9	225	april 22
1387	321	10	224	april 7
1388	322	D	223	mar. 29
1389	323	12	222	april 18
1390	324	13	221	april 3
1391	325	14	220	mar. 26
1392	326	F	219	april 14
1393	327	16	218	april 6
1394	328	17	217	april 19
1395	329	18	216	april 11
1396	330	A	215	april 2
1397	331	20	214	april 22
1398	332	21	213	april 7
1399	333	22	212	mar. 30
Rich. 2. deposed.				Sept. 31.
Henry 4. began.				periodi.
1399	333	22	212	mar. 30



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An.	D.	P.C.	K.	r.	T.E.	East.	day.
1400	334	C	21	1	april	18	
1401	335	2	210	april	3		
1402	336	3	209	mar.	26		
1403	337	4	208	april	15		
1404	338	E	207	april	6		
1405	339	6	206	april	19		
1406	340	7	205	april	11		
1407	341	8	204	mar.	27		
1408	342	G	203	april	15		
1409	343	10	202	april	7		
1410	344	I	201	mar.	23		
1411	345	12	200	april	12		
1412	346	B	199	april	3		

Henry 4. died. } March 20  
the } 5. began Defective.

1412	346	I	199	april	3		
1413	347	I	198	april	23		
1414	348	2	197	april	8		
1415	349	3	196	april	31		
1416	350	D	195	april	20		

1417	351	5	194	april	11		
1418	352	6	193	mar.	27		
1419	353	7	192	april	16		
1420	354	F	191	april	7		
1421	355	9	190	mar.	23		
1422	356	10	189	april	11		

Henry 5. died. } August 31  
the } 6 began periodi.

1422	356	I	189	april	11		
1423	357	I	188	april	3		
1424	358	A	187	april	23		
1425	359	3	186	april	8		
1426	360	4	185	mar.	31		
1427	361	5	184	april	20		
1428	362	C	183	april	4		

1429	363	7	182	mar.	27		
1430	364	8	181	april	16		
1431	365	9	180	april	1		

An.	D.	P.C.	K.	r.	T.E.	East.	day.
1432	366	E	179	april	20		
1433	367	11	178	april	12		
1434	368	12	177	mar.	28		
1435	369	13	176	april	17		
1436	370	G	175	april	8		
1437	371	15	174	mar.	31		
1438	372	16	173	april	13		
1439	373	17	172	april	5		
1440	374	B	171	mar.	27		
1441	375	19	170	april	16		
1442	376	20	169	april	1		
1443	377	21	168	april	21		
1444	378	D	167	april	12		

1445	379	23	166	mar.	28		
1446	380	24	165	april	17		
1447	381	25	164	april	9		
1448	382	F	163	mar.	24		
1449	383	27	162	april	13		
1450	384	28	161	april	5		
1451	385	29	160	april	25		

1452	386	A	159	april	9		
1453	387	31	158	april	1		
1454	388	32	157	april	21		
1455	389	33	156	apr.	6		
1456	390	C	155	mar.	28		
1457	391	35	154	apr.	17		
1458	392	36	153	apr.	2		
1459	393	37	152	ma.	25		
1460	394	E	151	apr.	13		

Henry 6. deposed } March 4.  
Edward 4. began } periodi.

1461	394	I	151	apr.	13		
1462	395	I	150	apr.	5		
1463	396	2	149	apr.	18		
1464	397	3	148	apr.	10		
1465	398	G	147	apr.	1		
1466	399	5	146	april	1		
1467	400	6	145	apr.	6		

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An.D	P.C	K	T	E	Eff. day
1467	401	7	144	mar	29
1463	402	8	143	Apr	7
1469	403	9	142	Apr	2
1470	404	10	141	Apr	22
1471	405	11	140	Apr	4
1472	406	D	139	mar	25
1473	407	13	138	Apr	18
1474	408	14	137	apr	1
1475	409	15	136	mar	26
1476	410	F	135	apr	14
1477	411	17	134	apr	6
1478	412	18	133	mar	22
1479	413	19	132	apr	21
1480	414	A	131	apr	9
1481	415	20	130	apr	22
1482	416	21	129	apr	7
1483	417	22	128	mar	30
Edw. 4. died { April 9.					
Edw. 5. began { Defect.					
1483; 417; 1; 128; mar.					
Edw. 5. murdered { Jan 23					
R. 3. usurp. began { Compl.					
1482	417	1	128	mar	30
1483	418	1	27	apr	18
485	419	2	6	apr	7
Hen. 7. began { Defect.					
1485	419	1	126	apr	1
1489	420	1	125	mar	26
1490	421	2	124	apr	15
1489	422	B	123	apr	6
1487	423	4	122	apr	19
1490	424			apr	11
1491	425	6	120	apr	3
1493	426	G	119	apr	23
1493	427	8	118	apr	7
1494	428	C	117	mar	30

An.D	P.C	K	T	E	Eff. day
1495	429	10	119	apr	19
1496	430	11	118	apr	3
1497	431	12	117	mar	26
1498	432	13	116	apr	15
1499	433	14	115	mar	31
1500	434	15	114	apr	19
1501	435	16	113	apr	11
1502	436	17	112	mar	27
1503	437	18	111	apr	16
1504	438	19	110	apr	7
1505	439	20	109	mar	23
1506	440	21	108	apr	12
1507	441	22	107	apr	4
1508	442	23	106	apr	30
1509	443	24	105	apr	18
Henry 7. died { April 22.					
he { began { period.					
1510	444	1	102	apr	8
1511	445	2	101	mar	31
1511	446	C	100	apr	20
1512	447	4	99	apr	11
1513	448	5	98	mar	2
1514	449	6	97	apr	1
1515	450	B	96	apr	8
1516	451	8	95	apr	23
1517	452	9	94	apr	12
1518	453	10	93	apr	4
1519	454	G	92	apr	23
1520	455	12	91	apr	8
1521	456	13	90	mar	31
1522	457	14	89	apr	20
1523	458	B	88	apr	5
1524	459	16	87	mar	2
1525	460	17	86	apr	1
1526	461	18	85	apr	1
1527	462	D	84	apr	12
1528	463	20	83	apr	12
1529	464	21	82	mar	28
1530	465	22	81	apr	1

Mo.	P.C.	Kr.	T.E.	East. da.
1531	465	22	8	april 9
1532	466	F	7	mar 31
1533	467	24	78	april 13
1534	468	15	77	april 2
1535	469	26	76	mar. 28
1536	470	A	75	april 16
1537	471	23	74	april 1
1538	472	29	73	april 21
1539	473	30	72	april 6
1540	474	C	71	mar 28
1541	475	31	70	april 17
1542	476	33	69	april 9
1543	477	34	68	mar 25
1544	478	h	67	april 13
1545	479	36	66	april 5
1546	480	37	65	april 25

Hen. 8. dyed. } Janu 28

Edw. 6. began. } Defect.

1546	480	1	65	april 25
1547	481	1	64	april 10
1548	482	0	63	april 1
1549	483	3	62	april 21
1550	484	4	61	april 6
1551	485	5	60	mar. 29
1552	486	B	59	april 17
1553	487	7	58	april 2

Edw. 6. dyed. } July 9

Mary began. } period.

1553	487	I	58	april 2
1554	488	1	57	mar. 15
1555	489	2	56	april 14
1556	490	D	55	april 5
1557	491	4	54	april 18
1558	492	5	53	april 10

Mary dyed. } Nouem. 17

Elizab. began. } period.

1558	492	11	52	april 10
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An.	P.C.	Kr.	Seco.	T.E.	East. da.
1559	493	1	Intire	52	mar. 26
1560	494	F	1	51	april 14
1561	495	3	1	50	april 7
1562	496	4	1	49	mar 2
1563	497	5	1	48	april 1
1564	498	A	1	47	april 1
1565	499	7	1	46	april 22
1566	500	8	1	45	april 14
1567	501	9	1	44	mar. 30
1568	502	C	1	43	mar 8
1569	503	I	2	42	april 1
1570	504	12	3	41	mar 26
1571	505	13	4	40	april 15
1572	506	h	5	39	april 6
1573	507	15	6	38	mar. 22
1574	508	16	7	37	april 11
1575	509	17	8	36	april 3
1576	510	6	9	35	april 22
1577	511	19	10	34	april 7
1578	512	2	11	33	mar 30
1579	513	21	2	32	april 19
1580	514	B	3	31	april 3
1581	515	2	4	30	mar 26
1582	516	2	5	29	april 15
1583	517	25	6	28	april 4
1584	518	0	7	27	april 19
1585	519	27	8	26	april 11
1586	520	28	9	25	april 3
1587	521	29	10	24	april 16
1588	522	1	11	23	april 7
1589	523	31	12	22	mar 30
1590	524	2	13	21	april 19
1591	525	3	14	20	april 4
1592	526	3	15	19	mar 26
1593	527	35	16	18	april 15
1594	528	3	17	17	mar. 11
1595	529	37	18	16	april 20
1596	530	C	19	15	april 10
1597	531	2	20	14	mar 27

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An.D	P.C.	K.	Sco	T.E	Ea.day	An.D	P.C.	K.	Sco	T.E	Ea.day
1598	532	40	31	13	apr. 16	1604	538	C	37	7	apr. 8
1599	533	41	32	12	apr. 8	1605	539	3	38	6	ma. 31
1600	534	E	33	11	ma. 23	1606	540	4	39	5	apr. 20
1601	535	43	34	10	apr. 12	1607	541	5	40	4	apr. 5
1602	536	44	35	9	apr. 4	1608	542	B	41	3	ma. 27
Elizabeth dyed, } March.						1609	543	7	42	2	apr. 16
K. James began. } 24						1610	544	8	43	1	apr. 8
1602	536	I	35	9	apr. 4	1611	545	9	44	0	ma. 24
1603	573	I	36	8	ap. 24						

Question 1.

I haue a Lease granted for 60. yeares, bearing date the 28 of February in the 6. yeare of Edward the 6. I would know how many yeares are expired, and how many are yet in being.

Respon.

Seeke in your Table for Edward the sixth: then in the row vnder K.R. finde the sixth yeare of his reigne, which you shall finde placed against 1552. B standing in the place of the sixth yeare, against which in the row vnder T.E signifying time expired, shall you finde 59 yeares since in February 1611, so that in February 1611, my time is expired.

But now the unskilfull (and indeed them of good iudgement) may bee Deceiued: for seeing the sixth yeare of Edward the 6. stands against 1552, will go to worke by vulgare Arithmeticke, deducting 1552 from 1611, and so compute it 59 yeares in February 1611, because vpon that yeare they made calculation, which is false: for that the Demaunde, or lease was made in the beginning of the regnall yeare, which agreeth with 1551, the 6. yeare standing against 1552 periodically: & here riseth the difficultesse in calculations of the expiration of time: for that men do not regard whether the Demand were made in the beginning or ending of the regnall yeare: for you must note that all regnall yeares hitherto, tooke beginning in one yeare, and ended in anothe r. as Elizabeth

began in 1546, and ended in 1547: so that if I would make any demand in her reigne from the 17 of November to the 24 of March, it was in the beginning of her reigne, and from March to November, was in the ending of her reigne. For want of consideration hereof, the common computation doth cause so many vnderstanding men to erre. But because here is no place to dwell vpon this discourse, and for that this newe Concordancy of mine is reformed and altered to that purpose, which by helpe of the ensuing Table, will bee farre more easie, euen to any one of meane capacitie, I set apart many words: for it is not pertinent in teaching the vniuersall, to demonstrate them the reason of the worke, let it suffice them that it is drawn to suite with their capacitie, according to truth.

But first you must admit some new words which I wil expound: for commonly new Arts require some new words to expresse the same: the words be foure, Periodicall, Defectiue, Hebdomadall, and Epact.

The two first of these are placed by the names of the Kings: if Periodicall stand there, it shewes that the said king reigned fully so many yeares as bee there set downe, beside odde moneths, which you may finde by the question, as Richard the second reigned 22 yeares Periodicall, beside odde daies, so that hee wrote of the 23 yeare.

Now Defectiue sheweth the King did not reigne out so many yeares as he there set downe, but it was defectiue, as Henry the fifth hath tenne yeares defectiue, so that he reigned but nine yeares periodically, or compleate, writing of the tenth yeare.

Hebdomadall signifies the number of weekes from the 25 of March, euen as they be figured in my Kalender in the least margin of each moneth.

Epact is not such a kind of Epact I described before the Anatomy, but signifies a certaine number of weekes and daies added to each King, as in the ensuing Table.

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## A Table of the Epacts for each King.

K. Names.	Epact.		K. Names.	Epact.	
	week.	day.		week.	day.
Wil. Conque.	29	0	Henry 4.	27	1
Wil. Rufus.	24	0	Henry 5.	51	2
Henry 1.	18	3	Henry 6.	22	5
Stephen.	36	0	Edward 4.	49	0
Henry 2.	30	4	Edward 5.	2	1
Richard 1.	14	5	Richard 3.	11	2
Iohn.	1	5	Henry 7.	21	3
Henry 3.	31	1	Henry 8.	4	0
Edward 1.	33	5	Edward 6.	44	0
Edward 2.	14	6	Mary.	15	1
Edward 3.	43	4	Elizabeth.	33	6
Richard 2.	12	4	K. Iames.	51	6

**N**ow therefore when you haue any Demande made by the yeare of the Kings reigne, without exprelling of the yeare of our Lord God, the first thing you haue to do, is to consider the Hebdomadall number of the day the question is made vpon: next seeke in the former Table the Epact of the King, whose reigne is proposed. If then the Epact bee the greater, you may conclude that the Demande was made in the end of the regnall yeare, which standeth periodically against the Ecclesian yeare, or yeare of our Lord; and the line expired stands right against the same in the fourth row.

But if the Hebdomadall number be the greater, the Demand was in the beginning of the regnall yeare, which answers to the Ecclesian yeare next before.

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## Example.

The second of these differences we will explaine by the former first question. A lease was granted for 60. yeares in February 28. and in the 6 of Edward the 6 in my Kalender I see the Hebdomadall number of the 28 of February, to be 48 weeks, 3 daies, and the Epact of Edward the 6 by the former table to be 44 weeks: here the Hebdomadall number is greater then the Epact. I conclude the demand was made in the beginning of the Regnall yeare, to wit, in the beginning of the 6 yeare of Edward the 6. which answereth to the yeare of our Lord 1551. & not to the yeare 1552. against which the 6 yeare standeth. Now answering to 1551 in the 4 row is 60. and so many yeares be expired in February 1611.

## Another Example.

But to explaine the 1 difference, say that I have a lease dated in Aprill, the eight day, in the 6 yeare of Edward the 6, continuing for 60 yeares, and would know this yeare 1611 how many yeares be expired. First I seeke the Hebdomadall number of the 8 of Aprill, which is two weekes: the Epact of Edward the 6 is 44 (here the Epact is greater) therefore the Regnall yeare stands periodically against the yeare of our Lord: the time expired standeth right against the same, so that I may conclude it 59 yeares since in Aprill 1611, the lease being made in the yeare 1552.

By this that is said you may gather, that when any question is propounded onely by the yeare of the king, if you can finde what yeare of our Lord it was also in, you may soone conclude vpon the same, which you be easily taught to performe by the former table of Epacts.

Quest. 2. { I have a lease for 21 yeares bearing date in August 1591: I would know this yeare 1611 how long it is since.

## Answer.

Seeke for the yeare 1591, against which in the row under T. C. is 20. and so many yeares it is since in August 1611.

Now in the second row is 523 and so many yeares is it after the conquest: and in the 2 row is 33. which also sheweth that it was in the 33 yeare of Elzabeth &c.

Quest. 3. { I would know how long it is since the 2 yeare of Edward 4. in what yeare of our Lord it was, and how many yeares after the Conquest.

## Answer.

First seeke the second yeare of Edward the 4. in the third row under the beginning of the raigne of the said Prince, against

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against which in the 4 row shall you finde 149, and so long it is since: answering to which in the first row is 1462 the year of our Lord. Lastly in the second row is 396. and so many yeares was it after the conquest: so that I may conclude, that the 1 yeare of Edward the 4 was in the Ecclesian yeare 1462. 396 yeares after the conquest, and that it is 149 yeares since.

Quest. 4.

How shall I finde our Easter day and the rest of the moveable feasts, because many times deeds, &c. beare date onely upon such dates without mention of the day of the moneth.

Answer.

First seeke the yeare of our Lord: Regnall yeare, against either of which stands Easter day, in the last row upon the right hand; which hauing, get the rest thus.

From Easter day count 6 Sundates backward. So haue you Quadragesima: or first Sunday in Lent: then goe backe vnto the next Tuesday: so haue you Shrouetidesday. Again from Easter day forward count 35 daies, or five weekes, so haue ye Rogation Sunday: to that adde foure daies, so haue ye ascencion day. To d. les after is Whitsunday. 7 daies after that is Trinity Sunday. 4 daies after is Corpus Christi day: this needeth no example.

Also hauing found Easter day, see what day of the moneth it is on, noting in the Kalender what letter answereth thereto: for that is the Dominicall letter.

As 1460 Easter day was the 13 of Aprill, to which E. answered in the Kalender, and therefore E. was Dominicall letter, 1460.

Quest. 5.

How shall I make a Concordancy of other principall times of note, that were in being before the conquest.

Answer.

Seeke the yeare of our Lord proposed in the Concordancy, against which in the 2 row vnder post conquestum, take the number theret, which adde to the number of the notable thing desired, as in the ensuing table.

The Creation.	5036	Rabbinis captivity.	1671
The Flood.	3178	Christs passion.	1033
Abra.ams promise.	3012	The Temple builded.	1616
The Israelites departing out of Aegypt.	2582	Brute entered England.	2173
The building of the Temple of Salomon.	2102	Englad received the Faith.	886
		The Daues entrance into England.	49

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The number of yeares that any of these notable things happened before the conquest is set downe in the last table, and if you would know how long it is since for any of the foresaid times in any proposed yeare, doe thus. 1177 I would know that yeare how long it was since the Creation, and also how long since England received the faith: against 1177 in the 2 row stands 11 which adde to 5036, so haue you 5147; so long was it then since the Creation: next to 886, adde the said 11, so haue you 897, and so many yeares was it since England received the faith. in the yeare 1177. and in the 23 yeare of Henry the 2: so of all the rest.

Quest. 6 { How shall I finde the Golden number and circle of the Sun by this concordancy.

Answer.

To the time of Post conquestum adde 3, and part the totall by 19. so is the remainder your desire, and the quotient the number of revolutions of the said circle, since the conquest to the proposed time.

Now for the circle of the Sun to the time of Post conquestum, adde 1, so haue you the same: but if after addition the summe exceed 28, deuide by 28, so is the remainder after deuision the circle of the sunne.

To know if any figure in the concordancy be misplaced.

Ad Anno Do. and C. Expired together, if then they both make 1611 those two rowes be right: also adde T. E. and Post conquest, together, or they must make 545.

Many things most requisite to be knowne, might I open in the vse of this new table, which being much and great, luterb not with the volume being but small.

Of the four times of Pleading called Termes, and of their returnes, and other doies necessary to be knowne of all, and not vnmeet to be published by any.

For the hearing and determining of all kinde of contracts, discordes, and such like in the common weale, there be foure times in the yeare appointed, and those be called Termes, the rest is vacation or void time to intend other affaires.

Every terme consisteth of 4. 5. or 8. returnes, every returne of 4. daies, and euery day seruing to a severall purpose.

First it is to be noted, that every Terme hath but part of all of these 6. kind of Returnes: viz. Crastine Octabis, Quindenares, menle, and Quinque: euery of which Returnes hath his

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As, from whence they take denomination and be reckoned: the signification of these 4 kind of returnes: thus, *Craftmo* is the morrow after the Basis of day nomination, as *Craft Trinitatis* is the morrow after Trinity Sunday: Trinity Sunday giving denomination and being the Basis to count the next day from *Oxab.* is 8. daies after inchuslinely, *Quind.* is 15 daies after the Basis of day of nomination. *Tro.* that day three weekes: & soe that day inoneth, & *quinq.* that day 5 weekes: Euery of these Returnes hath 4 leuerall daies whereupon it consisteth: The first wherof hath a double signification: the one is the day of the returne, and the other the day of the Effoyne for the defendant in a personall action, or the Tenant in a reall action to be Effoynd: The 2 is the day of exceptions, for the plaintife or demandant to lay an erception if no Effoyne be caid, that the defendant shall not be effoynd: The 3 is *Returna hieum.* that is the day whereon the Shricfe must returne the writ: and the 4 is the day of Apparance for Parties & Jurors in the Court of common Pleas, the which first and last day of Apparance in euery terme, do determine and limit the beginning & ending of the said terme.

If any of these daies fall vpon a Holy day, it is not Court day: or vpon a Sunday: as in Easter & Trinity terme they alwayes do, then the next day following must serue for both: as if the effoyne day fall vpon a Sunday, then Sunday must serue for the effoyne day & day of erception both, & so of all the other returnes.

These daies haue most vse in the Court of common Pleas, where all sues commence by originall &c. But for Lawes or other Proceffe vpon their Bill, it is vpon a day certaine, as *Die Lunæ Proxi.* Post puris. which must alwaies be reckoned from the effoyne day.

In the Starre Chamber, Chancery, Court of Wardes & Court of Requests, they haue vse of none of these returnes, but onely the day of apparance, which is *quarto die post.*

Yet note well, if a *Capias.* *Exigent.* *Fines facias.* or *Distringas* be executed after the day of Effoyne by the Shricfe, or a Commission sent vpon out of the foresaid Courtes after the said effoyne day, it is neither iustifiable nor warrantable.

Ifurthermore, the Termes be fixed or mouable: they be called mouable, for that they follow the course & primations of the Moone, which determines the mouable Feasts that bee their Basis: hereby Easter and Trinity Termes be mouable, as for that they haue not any fixed place in the Kalender: but Iuly and Michalmas haue, and therefore fixe.

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A Table of the foure Tearmes and their re-  
turnes with effoyne daies, daies of exception Re-  
turna breuium, daies of appearance, and  
Starre-chamber daies.

The place of the moueable Termes &c.  
in the Kalender.

Returne daies of daies of Effoyne	daies of exception.	Returna breuium.	Dates of ap- pearance.
Quint Pasch Apr: 18	Apr: 8. g	Apr: 9. a	apr: 10. b
Tres Paschs. Apr: 15	Apr: 15. g	Apr: 16. a	apr: 17. b
Menſe Pasch Apr: 22	Apr: 22. g	Apr: 23. a	apr: 24. b
Quinq: Pasch. Apr: 29	Apr: 29. g	apr: 30. a	Apr: 1. b
Craft Aſcen. Ma: 3	Ma: 1. e	Ma: 6. g	Ma: 6. g

Starre Chamber daies, Apr: 12. 17. 19. 21. 26. Ma: 13. 7.

Craft Trin. Ma: 20.	Ma: 21. a	Ma: 22. b	Ma: 23. c
Octab Trin. Ma: 27.	Ma: 27. g	Ma: 28. a	Ma: 29. c
Quind Trin. Jun: 3	Jun: 3. g	Jun: 4. a	Jun: 5. b
Tres Tr n Jun: 10	Jun: 10. g	Jun: 11. a	Jun: 12. b

Starre Chamber daies Ma: 29. 31. Jun: 5. 7. 12. 13.

The place of the fixed teatres &c. in  
Kalender this yeare 1611.

Octa. Hilar. Jan: 21	Jan: 21. g	Jan: 22. a	Jan: 23. b
Quind Hilla. Jan: 28	Jan: 28. g	Jan: 29. a	Jan: 30. b
Craft Purh. Feb: 4.	Feb: 4. g	Feb: 5. a	Feb: 6. b
Octab. Purh. Feb: 9.	Feb: 11. g	Feb: 11. g	Feb: 12. a

Starre-chamber daies Ian: 25. 30. Feb: 1. 6. 8. 13.

Octa Mich: 7.	Octob: 7. g	Octo: 8. a	Octo: 9. b
Quind Mich. Oct: 14	Octo: 14. g	Octo: 15. a	Octo: 16. b
Tres Micha. Oct: 21.	Octo: 21. g	Octo: 22. a	Octo: 23. b
Menſe Mich. Oct: 28.	Octo: 28. g	Octo: 29. a	Octo: 30. b
Craft. anima. Nou: 4.	Nou: 4. g	Nou: 5. a	Nou: 6. b
Craft. Marti. Nou: 11	Nou: 13. b	Nou: 14. c	Nou: 15. b
Octa. Marti. Nou: 18	Nou: 19. a	Nou: 20. b	Nou: 21. c
Quind Marti. Nou: 25	Nou: 26. a	Nou: 27. b	Nou: 28. c

Starre-cham- } Octob: 11. 16. 18. 23. 25. 30.

daies: } Nouem: 6. 8. 13. 15. 20. 22. 27. 29.



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**T**O write of any thing concerning the state of this revolution seems nothing commendable vnto me, because we cannot speake without offence to some, nor write to please all; such is the variable humours of men in this age: for speake as true as you will, they will beleue as they list, respecting all, but such that suites with their expectation. Goe truly to worke, and pronounce dearth of graine, who please you but Corne-masters? if wine and oyle shall be scarce, whom affecteth it but the Merchants? If worl be deare, whom please you but the sheep-master? the dearth of euery commodity is welcome to him it bringeth gaine vnto. Speake neuer so truly, others yeld small thanks. But for my part, I neuer ryed my penne (etherwise then by the direction of Art) to please particulars: say we writ (as haply we might) of waues, of plagues, misfortunes and calamities, of dissimulation, insinuation, and viperous combinations, of depopulation, derogations and defamations: say we pronounce (as truly we may) that the deuill or his coadiutors is broken loose, that our climate harbours a wolfe in a lambskinne. which is more ominous then the fiery Drake was fatal: say we tell and preiudicate truly of present calamities, what is the reward? marry some puer conceited man, will not care to a mouth, that we are Night-crowes, singing of nought but calamity, I haue heard such digressing Diurnes ignorantly rowle vpon such a point in a Pulpit. I speake but of one, or one sect, in particular. I honour the whole Synode, and reuerence the professors But to the matter, if I tell you, as I meane to doe, that craft and consenage like cruell homicides, murder vertue and conscience, that the seed of the diuell by fraudulent contracts shall seeke to oppresse the innocents, that miracles are not ceased, when gold can worke wonders: If I tell you that you shall finde *Anguis subter herbas, Mel in ore fel in corda*, fire in one, hand and water in another: If I tell you of these, as I haue done, and many more which it may be in minde to do, who will or can repute it for lesse then Oracle? therefore considering the state of this present age, without regard of the heavenly con-figuration, is not likely to mend or change to better, from that it was in the precedent yeare, and therefore I referre you to my last yeares Almanacke, at which diuers idle exceptions haue bene taken. In the golden age before the diuell had sowne mischief, and discord, difference in the hearts of people, it was strange to heare of murders and such like, so then was it rare to foretell of it; but now in this yron age, it is familiar and ordinary to tell of villany, and rare to foretew vertue. Do but take the paines to remember any particular inhumane strageme or barbarous attempt, and the effects will ordinarily produce themselves. If I say the plague shall visite vs, I am

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answered, it hath bene an ancient dweller amongst vs. If I say Pri-  
vates shall molest vs, I am asked, when was it otherwise with vs? I  
say bribe y, extortion, and oppression shall iniuriest; I am deman-  
ded, who seekes to reforme it amongst vs? *Temporane culpes, cum sit  
libi causa doloris.* In conclusion therefore, he that hath not of his owne  
shall be to seeke, and he that trusts to friends shall be deceived; fools  
shall neuer haue less wit, nor honest men more need of money: man-  
ny flies shall be swallowed whilst they gape at gudgeons; therefore  
when ye stare vpon the starres haue regard to the strawe: thus much  
rather merrily then seriously. Because writing without Arte, I am  
likely to haue some fellows. If you expect newes or to heare of  
wonders, repaire to the tale-bearers, which as the age affords: suffi-  
cient matter for them to stuffe your eares with, so may you haue  
there at large with new additions: something I could say, but hap-  
py not without blame, and therefore nothing is best. Touching sick-  
nesses there is like to be a generall *Lethargie* amongst most professi-  
ons: or rather a great slouthfulness, dulnes, & remissnes, which nothing  
will cure but the sensible feeling of Angels, so that money shall  
be of more worth then men, and wealth more weighed then wit.  
Beauty shall be of sufficient force to beget disloyalty, and loue  
counted no gaine being not counterpoized with gold. Let this for  
this time suffice; when I see the age more wise, I will write more  
warily, in meane time here is sufficient for their reading, and enough  
for their money. Farewell.

*Meliora Spero.*

*Ut or quando placet, corrige quando licet.*

FINIS.